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THE THIRD ANNUAL SPRING
COMMENCEMENT



THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS OF THE PERMIAN BASIN

Odessa, Texas

SATURDAY, MAY THE FIFTEENTH
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIX
TWO O'CLOCK



The Graduating Class of
America's Bicentennial Year

PROGRAM

CONCERT.	Midland High School Concert Band
PROCESSIONAL	Midland High School Concert Band
INVOCATION	Rev. Michael N. Miller United Campus Ministry
WELCOMING REMARKS	Dr. V. R. Cardozier, President
SPECIAL MUSIC	Midland High School Concert Band

CERTIFICATION OF DEGREE CANDIDATES

Dr. James L. Colwell
Dean of the College of Arts and Education

Dr. Eugene Nini
Acting Dean of the College of Management

Dr. Horace Bledsoe
Acting Assistant Dean of the College of Science and Engineering

Dr. J. Edwin Becht
Vice President for Academic Affairs

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES

Dr. V. R. Cardozier, President

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Mr. Walter G. Sterling
Regent, The University of Texas System

AWARDING OF DIPLOMAS

Dr. V. R. Cardozier, President

RECESSIONAL Midland High School Concert Band

Immediately following the recessional there will be a reception in the Student Lounge. Everyone is invited.

PRESENTATION OF THE CANDIDATES

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND EDUCATION

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in American Studies

Elizabeth Lynn Mashburn	Midland
Glenda Green Morgan	Odessa

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Anthropology

Bianca Dale Brister*	Odessa
William G. Mims	Midland

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Art

Norma Dale Beck	Odessa
David Lindesay Greenlees II	Odessa
David Thomas O'Reilly	Odessa

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Creative Writing

Michael William Anderson	Odessa
Nina O. Carpenter	Andrews
Billy Bob Carter	Midland
Elwin H. Collom	Odessa
Angeline Kirksey Johnston	Odessa

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Government

Ronald William Boerm**	Midland
Montgomery Irvin Cottier	Midland
Brad Patteson	Midland
Janette Lee Rhodes	Houston
David Thomas Sites, Jr.*	Midland
Michael Kent Wagner	Grand Prairie
Donna Jean Yeary**	Odessa

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in History

Lynn C. Clark*	San Antonio
Kathryn B. Clemmer	Odessa
Sherrye Clemmer	Odessa
Patricia Ann Cunningham*	Odessa
Ann T. Farris**	Midland
Diana Esther Fishel*	Midland
Pamela Marlene Fletcher	Monahans

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in History (cont.)

Gerald Anthony Gonzalez	Ft. Stockton
Fritzi Gail Heron	Odessa
Edna Brown Hibbits	Midland
Patricia Wright Ingram	Wichita Falls
Nell Roy Joines**	Snyder
Shirley Almay Jordan*	Grandfalls
Penny C. Maxwell**	Lamesa
Joseph P. Neal*	Andrews
Margaret Ann Price	Odessa
Glen H. Ragsdale*	Odessa
Julia Cauble Smith	Midland
Kyle Harper Smith**	Snyder
Scott Modrall Stegner	Odessa
Bettye Ann Lemon Stout *	Odessa
Jimmie R. Stroud	Cottonwood
Alisanne W. Toomey	Odessa

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Humanities

Ray A. Hickman	Odessa
Donna M. Rushing	Odessa
Catheryne Reeve Serrurier	Midland

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Literature

Gloria Romero Alemán	Midland
Lana Pittman Arther	Midkiff
Felicitas Heredia Baesa	Midland
Sandra Jan Barnes	Odessa
Emory Bartlett	Midland
Robbie Brazleton**	Odessa
Glenn Wayne Byrd**	Odessa
Marsha Ann Owens Childers**	Odessa
Paul David Colgin	Odessa
Joan Finley Cox**	Monahans
Evelyn Jo Davis*	Hurst
Emily Gainer Day	Menard
Linda S. Dillard*	Midland
Lavonya Lowe Friday**	Midland
Joan Marlene Auld Galloway**	Odessa
Peggy Suzanne Gryder	Odessa
Frances M. Heath	Kermit
Connie Ruth Herrington*	Rio Hondo

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Literature (cont.)

Carole Le Hope	Big Spring
Judith Ann Lackey*	Spearman
Cecilia Aguilar Lara**	Midland
Susan Nelson Lippe**	Odessa
Linda Beth Horner Miracle*	Kermit
Helen Ann Beckwell McCabe	Andrews
Ruth Joy Nanny*	Big Spring
Roxanne Janette Redman**	Odessa
Patricia Anne Rhoton**	Big Spring
Fawn Irene Schul	San Angelo
Johnnie B. Shelton	Midland
Billie Morris Spratlen*	Odessa
Shauna Fisher Thornton	Odessa
Debra Coe Turnage**	Odessa
Sandra Teague Van Dusen**	Odessa
Cynthia L. Walker	Odessa
Mary S. Wilkins	Big Spring
Melinda Joyce Wright	Robert Lee
Susan Elizabeth Wright*	Iraan
Margaret Hodgson Wynn	Midland

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Mass Communications

Pete L. Aranda	Odessa
Mary Hope Armstrong	Odessa
Lee J. Bentch	Houston
Teresa Lynn Brooks	Odessa
Jane Wilson Brown	Big Lake
Mary Williams Caddel**	Odessa
Danny Mike Ellington**	Snyder
Michael Anthony Haines	Odessa
Elizabeth Gaynor Melton*	Odessa
Carla Jan McCollum	Denver City
Shelley Katherine O'Neil*	Odessa
Harold D. Pierce	Haltom City
Clifford Powell Pumphrey	Odessa
Ruby Edna Stone*	Odessa
Prathaksin Thavanthana	Bangkok, Thailand
Michael K. Virgin	Monahans
Lucille Wemple*	Midland

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Music

James Clydel Chapman	Odessa
Wynn Wesson Flaming*	Perryton
Marcia Anne Miether	Odessa
Rhonda Rae Ownbey**	Big Spring
Martha Howerton Poss	Big Spring

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Physical Education & Health

Bruce W. Almond**	Snyder
Susan Kay White Anderson**	Colorado City
Dolores Ann Faulkner Barton	Odessa
Dave Burt**	Mesquite
Steven Lee Chandler	Odessa
Larry Dial Christian	Odessa
Vaughn R. Ditto*	Carlsbad, N.M.
Rose Marie Garza	Kingsville
Dicky R. Gatlin	Midland
Gregory A. Goodhue	Lakewood, Co.
Ruth Agnes McGuire Hair**	Kermit
Laquita Elizabeth Johnson*	Carlsbad, N.M.
Kim Stovall Jacoby	Andrews
Kathleen Sue Keith*	Odessa
Donna Sue Lindsey	Odessa
William Mark Pitner	Odessa
Charlotte Stark	Odessa
Lana Kay Tighe	Waco
Katherine C. Watkins**	Odessa
Joe B. Winchell	Odessa

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Psychology

Sue Anne Steagall Aldrich	Borger
Johnny Clayton Allison**	Midland
Marshall Davis Brown, Jr.	Odessa
Mary N. Butler	Big Spring
William Christopher Carson	Odessa
Carolyn Sue Wallace Conder**	LaGrange
Jerry Dean Crane**	Carlsbad, N.M.
David Charles Fulkerson*	Dallas
Laura Lee Harvell**	Prairie Village, Ks.
Gene W. Meyers	Big Spring
Mary Jane Moore	Midland
Jimmy C. Morgette	Midland

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Psychology (cont.)

Mary Darrow McLeaish	Odessa
Karen Mills Pinard	Yale, Ok.
Lyndel L. Reese**	Odessa
Mary Jo Malaise Rundell	Odessa
David Howard Sandidge**	Odessa
Michelle Suzanne Stephens	San Angelo
Kathye Raedell Wallace	Abilene
Jeannie Austin Warren	Odessa
Helen Nita Webb	Carlsbad, N.M.
Lloyd K. Wilson**	San Antonio
Lena Young**	Big Spring

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Sociology

Amalia A. Gonzales	Odessa
Kenneth Ray Hunnicutt*	Midland
Nancy Sherian Jones	Odessa
Bobby Lee Kimbrell*	Odessa
Dora Felan Rivera**	Snyder
Janet Merrill Swallow	Midland
Jon H. Tinney**	Notrees
Katrina Sue Waldrep*	Odessa
Mary Elizabeth Welch	Colorado City
Rita Faye Woodall*	Andrews

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Spanish

Nita Ramos Alba	Odessa
Mary Helen Vera Alvarado	Lamesa
Viola Hinojos Gonzales**	Big Spring
Billie Haley Needham	Odessa
Jamie L. Rhodes	Stanton
Phyllis Anne Tavarez	Odessa

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Speech

Rhonda Susan Cochran*	Midland
Ronald J. Dunn*	Seminole
Cindy Parks Gill	Comanche
Catherine Willis Harrelson*	Andrews
Rachel Jane Hicks**	Crane
Pamela Thompson Jones*	Odessa
Charleen Scott	Big Lake
Anita Jo Smith**	Odessa

COLLEGE OF MANAGEMENT

For the Bachelor of Business Administration Degree with a major in Accounting

Danny Ray Abbott	Odessa
Harold W. Adams	Odessa
Jerry Dee Anderson	Odessa
Jerry L. Beauchamp	Odessa
Sally A. Bubela*	Tucson, Az.
D. R. Carlson	Dallas
Deborah Chappell Conley	Odessa
Johnny C. Conley	Midland
Carrol C. DeHay	Odessa
Albert D. Fox	Odessa
John Edward Fuller*	Odessa
Donald Ray Greenlee	Odessa
Nancy Eileen Hyatt**	Midland
Bobby Lee Kerley	Odessa
Ralph R. Kitterman III*	Manvel
Mark Vey Langston*	Midland
Jose Duran Leyva	Presidio
Tommy Glenn Morgan	Odessa
Jimmie Robert McCorkle*	Midland
Michael Thomas McCrary	Midland
Curtis Carey McFarland, Jr.*	Midland
David Albert Noles	Roby
Alan Wayne Paschal*	Odessa
Ruben Gonzales Prado*	Odessa
Anthony Wayne Rains	Tahoka
Cleo Arthur Royal	New Iberia, La.
George Louis Schaidler**	La Porte
Charles Tabor	Kermit
William Carl Tampke*	Eldorado
Nancy Anne White	Midland
Ivy Ruth Williamson**	Uvalde

For the Bachelor of Business Administration Degree with a major in Aviation Management

Gary W. Harris*	Cisco
Gilbert N. Husted	Midland
Scott Leland Parker*	Dallas
James Herbert Taylor*	San Antonio

For the Bachelor of Business Administration Degree with a major in Management

Thomas W. (Tom) Allred	Midland
Bobby K. Barlow*	Odessa
Larry Bill Bayless*	Odessa
Johnny Boyd Branch	Odessa
Dan Richard Brazelton**	Crane
Norval Glenn Brown	Odessa
Charles Edward Curry**	Odessa
Paul J. DeCaulp II*	Pasadena
Glen Howard Edwards	Midland
Bill R. Esmon	Odessa
Jack Richard Felts, Jr.	Lamesa
Amador Granado**	Andrews
James Colvin Guthrie III	Midland
Clyde Harrison, Jr.*	Hobbs, N.M.
Ronnie Wayne Jumper*	Odessa
Richard Perkins Kincheloe V**	Dallas
Monte C. Mabry *	Odessa
Syed Najeab Ahmed Madani	Karachi, Pakistan
Donald Lee Mauldin	Midland
Mehdi Moazami	Tehran, Iran
Ralph M. McCain*	Odessa
Mark Stanley McDaniel	Odessa
Max Pearce	Odessa
E. N. Ramirez	Ozona
Bobby Fred Richardson	Odessa
Wayne Frank Riemer*	Houston
Rhea D. Sanderson	Odessa
Joan Standley Thomson	Austin
George E. "Buddy" West*	Odessa
Stephen Terrell Wooten	Big Spring
Jimmy Max Wright	Big Spring
B. L. Young, Jr.	Midland

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement

Garry Baine Clark	Odessa
Wayne N. Frost	Odessa
Floyd L. Garrett	Odessa
Mervin Glenn Hayner*	Big Spring
Mary Jo Kelley*	Odessa
Philip Monroe Page, Jr.*	Odessa
Nancy Sims Redman*	Odessa

**For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Criminal Justice/
Law Enforcement Management**

Dennis Ray Bright	Odessa
Thomas Patrick Hyde	Midland
Hoyce W. Kennedy*	Big Spring
James S. Smelser*	Big Spring
Larry Joe Speegle	Odessa
Paul Lamar Stephen II	Strawn

For the Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Economics

Stephen Lee Cain**	Odessa
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COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

For the Bachelor of Science Degree with a major in Chemistry

Robert L. Blackstock*	San Antonio
Robert Salinas Casillas**	McCamey
David Y. Cheng**	Taipei, Taiwan
Roger Nathan Cotman	Houston
Marilyn L. Price Stevens	Dallas
Douglas Strong	Midland
Stephen Craig Wilson*	Odessa

For the Bachelor of Science Degree with a major in Computer Science

Eduardo Barraza*	Ackerly
Enrique Cantu	Ackerly
Steven Louis Pritschow**	Crane
Timothy P. Repman	Midland
Brent L. Truett*	Odessa

For the Bachelor of Science Degree with a major in Control Engineering

Oliver R. Batchelor	Odessa
Farzad Ghazzagh**	Isfahan, Iran
E. Dane Gruben	Kermit
Fariborz Nazerian	Tehran, Iran
Donna Harkey Noreen**	Midland
Paul E. Rhodes*	Odessa
James West Spencer III	Odessa
Manoj Gajanan Tripathi	Ahmedabad, India
Gary Tumlinson*	Del Rio
Charles L. Ward	Midland

For the Bachelor of Science Degree with a major in Earth Science

Suzanne R. Albritton	Odessa
Janell Williams Atchley*	Eldorado
Roland Lee Harrison*	Anson
Robert Graves Harvell	Prairie Village, Ks.
Carroll Lee Hedrick	Odessa
Gary Charles Herring**	Midland
Jesse Fred Johnson*	Waco
Dennis Keith Kelley*	Corpus Christi
Carl Shane Lough*	Odessa
Nancy Eloise Mayberry*	Midland
Raymond James Montgomery*	Odessa
Robert Edward Morgan	Midland
Herbert R. Rehders III	Odessa
Marie Chancellor Riley	Odessa
Tommy Woodward	Midland

For the Bachelor of Science Degree with a major in Life Science

James Howard Anders	Odessa
Lynda Golightly Brazier	Odessa
Paul O. Briones	Kermit
James Michael Calmes	Odessa
Leilani Thornton Cass	Odessa
Joan Leslie Collard	Odessa
Rebecca Ellen Goodyear	Andrews
Thomas Hamlin Hewitt	Midland
Katie Jo Kernodle**	Big Spring
Stella Gwenlyn Loftis**	Midland
Margaret Ann Massey	Big Spring
Helen Reyes	Atascosa
Arleen M. Ritter*	Lubbock
Joel Lynn Ross	Quail
Vicki Lynn Short	Monahans
Barry Ronald Smith	Odessa
Sara Malone Tipton*	Big Spring

For the Bachelor of Science Degree with a major in Mathematics

John Pierce Clement, Jr.	Odessa
Peggy Ashford Maberry	Odessa
Kathleen Strickland*	Odessa

For the Bachelor of Science Degree with a major in Physics

James C. Harbour

Midland

GRADUATE DEGREES

For the Master of Arts Degree with a major in Educational Administration

Diana Hays Ham

Odessa

Mengiraro Ngiratehekii

Koror, Palau

Robert Boyd Pheil II**

San Antonio

For the Master of Arts Degree with a major in Behavioral Science

Jack Dudley Wilder

Beeville

For the Master of Arts Degree with a major in Counseling

Clydia B. Bowser**

Midland

Billy Mac Brown

Odessa

Billy J. Burns

Midland

Efren D. Castro**

Kermit

Linda Mitchell Duran**

Ft. Stockton

Susan Garfield Edwards

Midland

Helen Schwarz Frazier**

Odessa

Alice Greenwood

Odessa

Elray Hawkins**

Odessa

Elayne Hunt**

Odessa

Martha Mary Reyes Hunt**

Beeville

Marion J. Kimberly**

Midland

Katherine Kniffen**

Andrews

Margaret Myrick McDonald**

Big Spring

Jimmie Nell Holcombe Parker**

Lamesa

Larry Tucker Smith

Odessa

Stephen D. Thomas*

Midland

LaWanda Joy Thompson

Odessa

Ula Joe Williams

Midland

For the Master of Arts Degree with a major in Elementary Education

Judy C. Schmidt*

Midland

For the Master of Arts Degree with a major in Literature

Jill White Williams

Temple

For the Master of Arts Degree with a major in Physical Education and Health

Judith Ann Baber**	Coffeyville, Ks.
Max Ford**	Odessa
Sherwood Dale Kupper*	Toledo, Ohio
April Mele Leahy**	Big Spring
Franklin Andrew Vale**	Odessa

For the Master of Arts Degree with a major in Education (Reading)

Clara Markham Bryant	Odessa
Carol A. Conard**	Midland
Judith Argo Harvey**	Andrews
Patricia Preslar Young**	Crane

For the Master of Arts Degree with a major in Secondary Education

Thomas Dan Marsden**	Midland
Jan Preston*	Midland
Lavonne Lee Raymond**	Midland

For the Master of Arts Degree with a major in Special Education

Sarah Antoinette Martin Davis*	Midland
Rita Zo Robinson**	Odessa
Joyce Ann Sherrod**	Midland

For the Master of Business Administration Degree

Norio Abe*	Iwate, Japan
Freddie Lee Adams*	Brownwood
Mansoor Ziauddin Ahmed	Hyderabad, India
James A. Anderson	Odessa
Asim Ahmed Ansari**	Hyderabad, India
Walter Dean Ashby	Mineral Wells
George Randall Auburg	Midland
Richard Glenn Bonds	Nocona
Paul L. Bridges	Carlsbad, N.M.
Venita Ann Hancock Brookshire	Ft. Worth
David Stuart Crymes**	Austin
Linda S. Felts*	Midland
Wylie Duaine Goulding	Midland
Ronald E. Gunder	Waco
Terry Kay Hagerty Hammack**	Parkville, Mo.
Malcolm Kay Hensley*	Odessa
Leighton Pitts Kelly	Odessa
Keaukun Kitchalau	Bangkok, Thailand
Donald Ewell Lambert	Ft. Worth

For the Master of Business Administration Degree (cont.)

Srisuda Leelasatayakul	Bangkok, Thailand
Napaporn Lertphatrapong	Bangkok, Thailand
Salahuddin Shakir Mahmood*	Karachi, Pakistan
Albert C. Morales	Redford
Sudhirkumar R. Patel**	Karamsad, India
Pichai Pongseangdee**	Bangkok, Thailand
Manuel G. Prado, Jr.**	Odessa
Stewart Warren Reeves*	Roscoe
Narendra Manilal Sanghvi**	Calcutta, India
Mohammad Shaaf	Shiraz, Iran
James Samuel Shimek	Dallas
Upendra Kumar Shukla*	Calcutta, India
Mahendra Tulsidas Thakker*	Odessa
Jeraldean Tittle*	Clarksville, Ark.
Abraham A. Torres*	Ft. Hancock
Kiettipong Vannasetta**	Bangkok, Thailand
Leroy G. Wegner**	Midland
Wongwai Witoonchart**	Bangkok, Thailand
Charles Michael Wollitz**	Harlingen
Jagjit Singh Yadav*	Midland

For the Master of Science Degree with a major in Control Engineering

Richard Eugene Carr	Jal, N.M.
Ming-Chung Lo	Kaohsiung, Taiwan
Ajit Kumar Sen	Calcutta, India
Vincent Hugo Vetter	Midland

* Degree awarded December 19, 1975

** Degree awarded August 15, 1975

The mace which is carried by the president of the Faculty Senate in the academic procession was designed by the University's first President, B. H. Amstead, and carved by B. Gen. H. W. Hise, USMC (Ret.).

The mace is constructed primarily of koa wood from the slopes of the Hawaiian volcano, Mauna Kea. The flame at the top of the mace was hand carved from West Texas mesquite. The mace symbolizes the power and authority vested in the University. Each of the four sides below the flame are carved: the lone star, representing the state of Texas; a pump jack, representing the oil industry which has made West Texas and the Permian Basin famous; a lamp, symbolizing the quest for knowledge; and, the logo of The University of Texas of the Permian Basin.

Each of the four sides of the bottom of the mace are also carved. The number 1112 commemorates the initial enrollment at the University in the fall of 1973. The number 40 commemorates the number of degree candidates at the first graduation period. The year 1969 commemorates the date that The University of Texas of the Permian Basin was established by the Legislature of the State of Texas. The year 1974 commemorates the year of the first commencement ceremonies.

The lower portion of the shaft is carved with two rings representing the first two years of college required for admission to UT-Permian Basin. The upper part of the shaft is carved with three rings. The first two representing the junior and senior years, and the third representing graduate studies.

— The Honor Guard is from Ector County High Schools —

THE UNIVERSITY COMMENCEMENT COMMITTEE

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